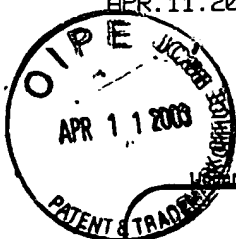


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09/775,045

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02/01/2001

First Named Inventor

Michael G. HARWELL

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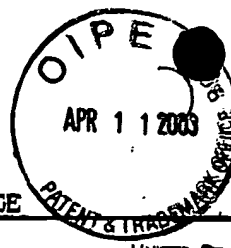
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NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)

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- No reply was received.

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A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNAVOIDABLE DELAY** must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(l); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of **UNINTENTIONAL DELAY** must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the above-identified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to "Office of Petitions" at (703) 305-9282.

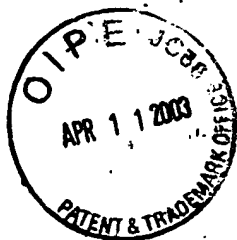
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Remarks		

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For: SCENTED HOT MELT ADHESIVES

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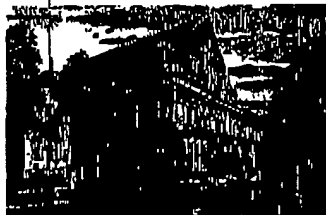
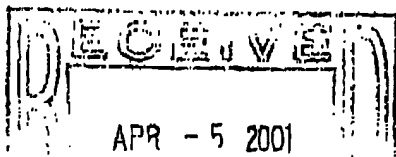
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Petition to Revive an Abandoned Application

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This communication is responsive to the Notice of Abandonment mailed September 4, 2002 (copy attached). The Notice states that the subject application has been abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed on March 14, 2001.

Applicants submit that a timely response to the Notice to File Missing Parts was filed on April 5, 2001 and respectfully request that the Abandonment be withdrawn.

The subject application was filed February 1, 2001. Since two of the three inventors reside outside of the United States, the application was filed without an executed declaration. A Notice to File missing parts, mailed March 14, 2001, was subsequently received. The Notice set a two (2) month period for response (i.e. May 14, 2001).

On April 3, 2001, a properly executed declaration was mailed. Applicants response to the Notice to File Missing parts included: (1) a transmittal form carrying a certificate of mailing, (2) a fee transmittal form, (3) a response to the notice to file missing parts, (4) a copy of the notice to file missing parts, (5) the executed declaration and (6) a return receipt postcard. A copy of each of these documents is attached. On the address side of the post card is a stamp indicating a receipt date of April 5, 2001.

Concurrently mailed under separate cover was the assignment document (mailed April 3, 2001 with the requisite cover sheet and with a return receipt post card). Attached is a copy of the post card also showing receipt date of April 5, 2001.

Applicants submit that a timely response was filed and request that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn that the application be reinstated to active status and that an action on the merits be expedited.

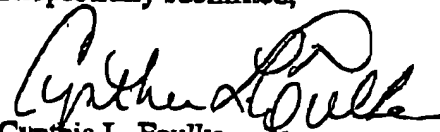
The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee required for the filing of this petition to deposit account No. 14-0455. Since, however, the abandonment of the subject appears to be due to an error on the part of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, refund of any fee so charged is requested.

Early and favorable action is solicited.

September 27, 2002

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Respectfully submitted,


Cynthia L. Foulke
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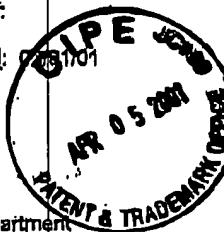
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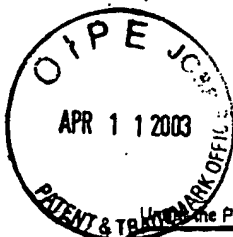
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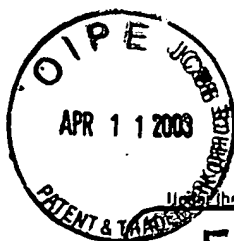
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

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107	480	207	240	Plant filing fee	
108	710	208	355	Reissue filing fee	
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104	370	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109	80	209	40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

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127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
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113	1,840	113	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	390	217	195	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,380	218	690	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,690	228	845	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
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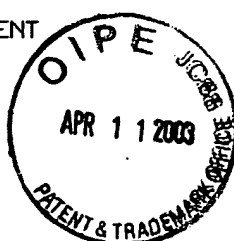
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.

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HARWELL, et. al.

Serial No. 09/775,045

Group Art Unit:

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For: SCENTED HOT MELT ADHESIVES**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

ATTN: BOX MISSING PARTS
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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SIR:

This is in response to the "Notice To File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted" mailed March 14, 2001, which set a two month period for response. A copy of the Notice is attached.

Submitted herewith is a fully-executed Declaration.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the basic filing fee (\$710.00) and required surcharge (\$130.00) to Deposit Account No. 14-0455.

A fee transmittal form is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled SCENTED HOT MELT ADHESIVES the specification of which

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and was amended on _____

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(if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	Yes	No
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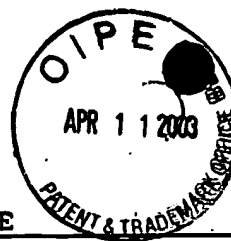
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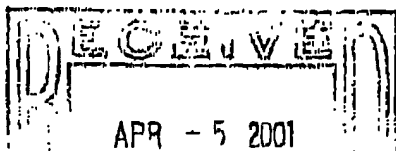
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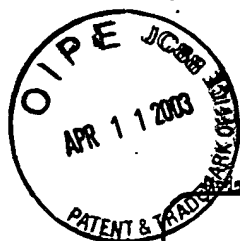
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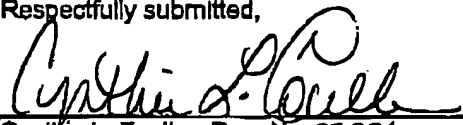
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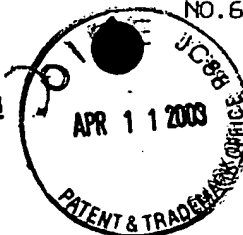
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